

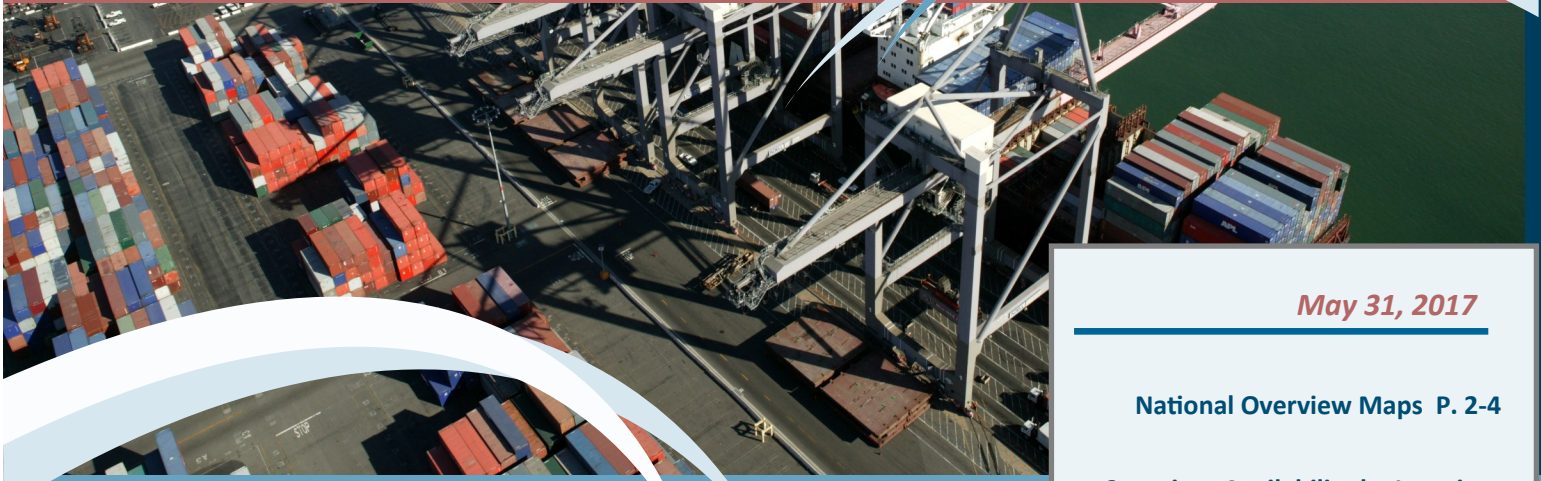


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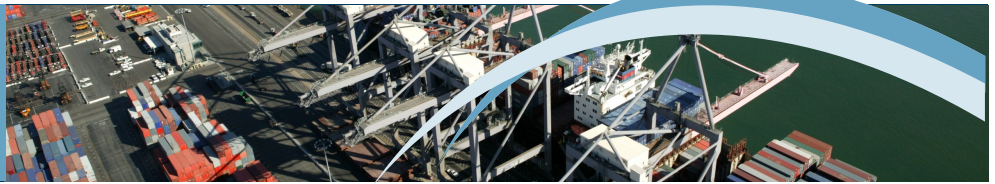
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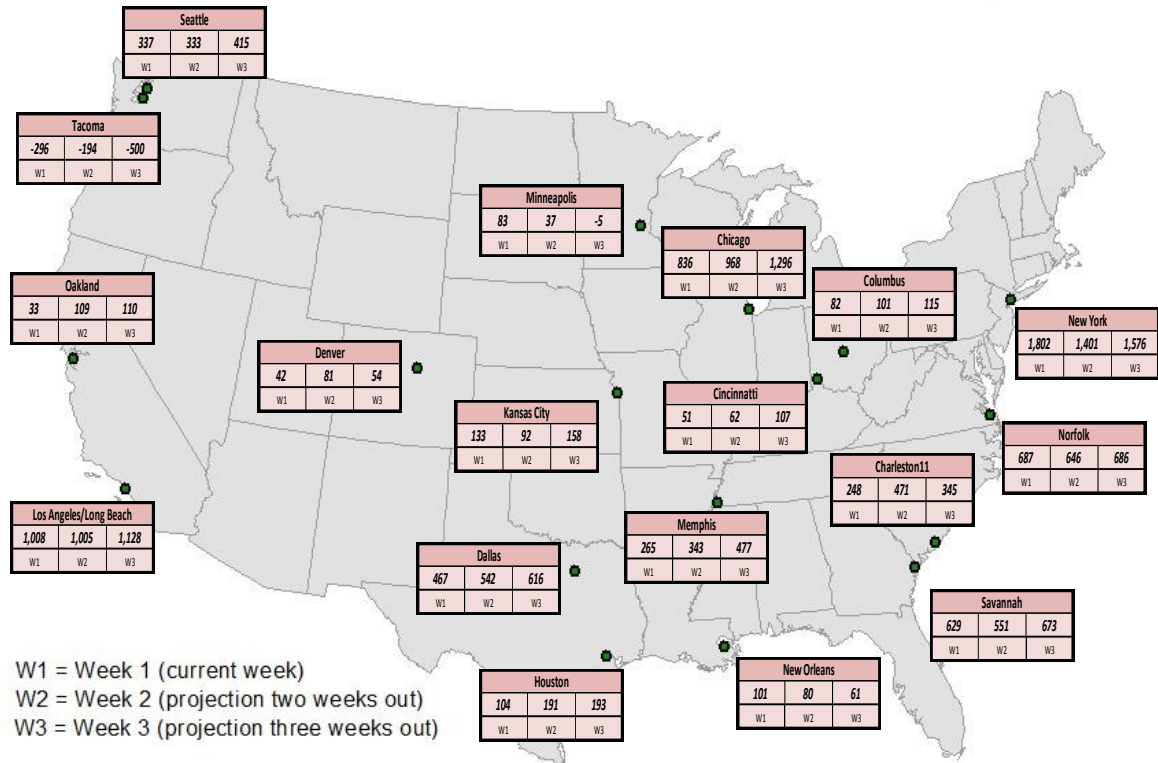
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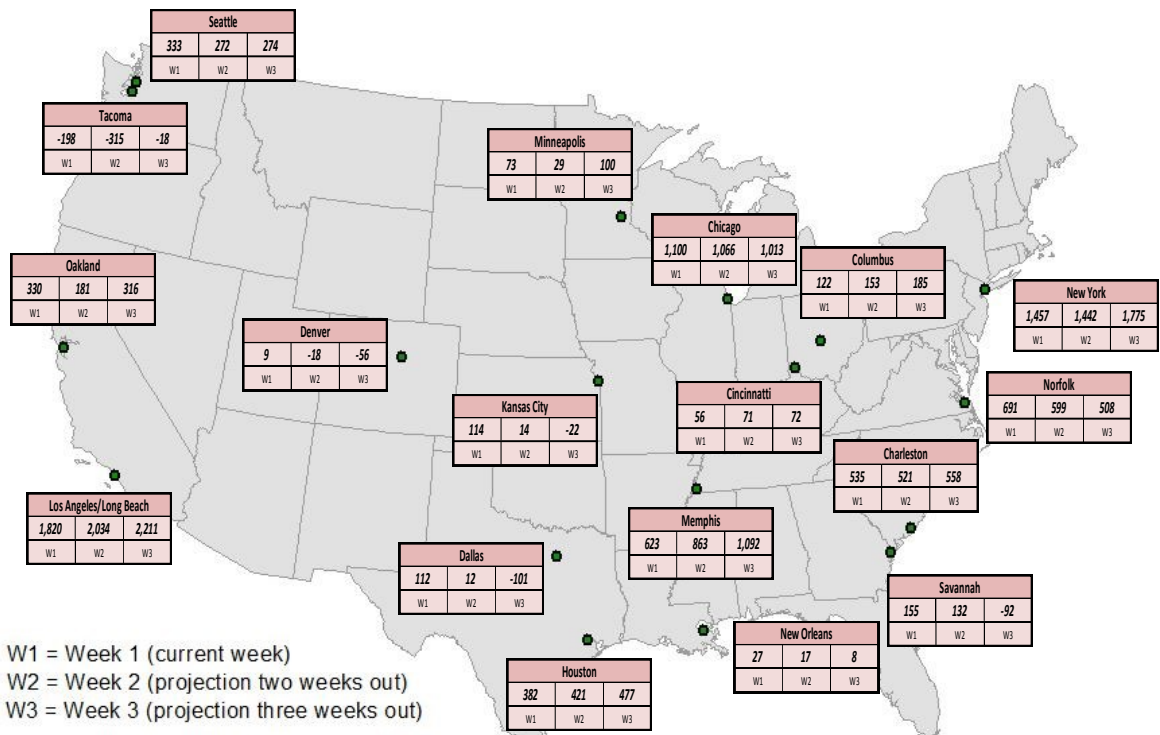
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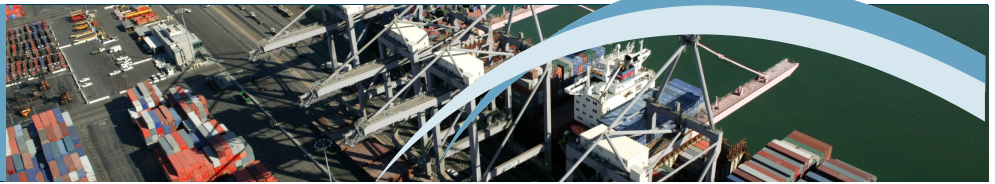


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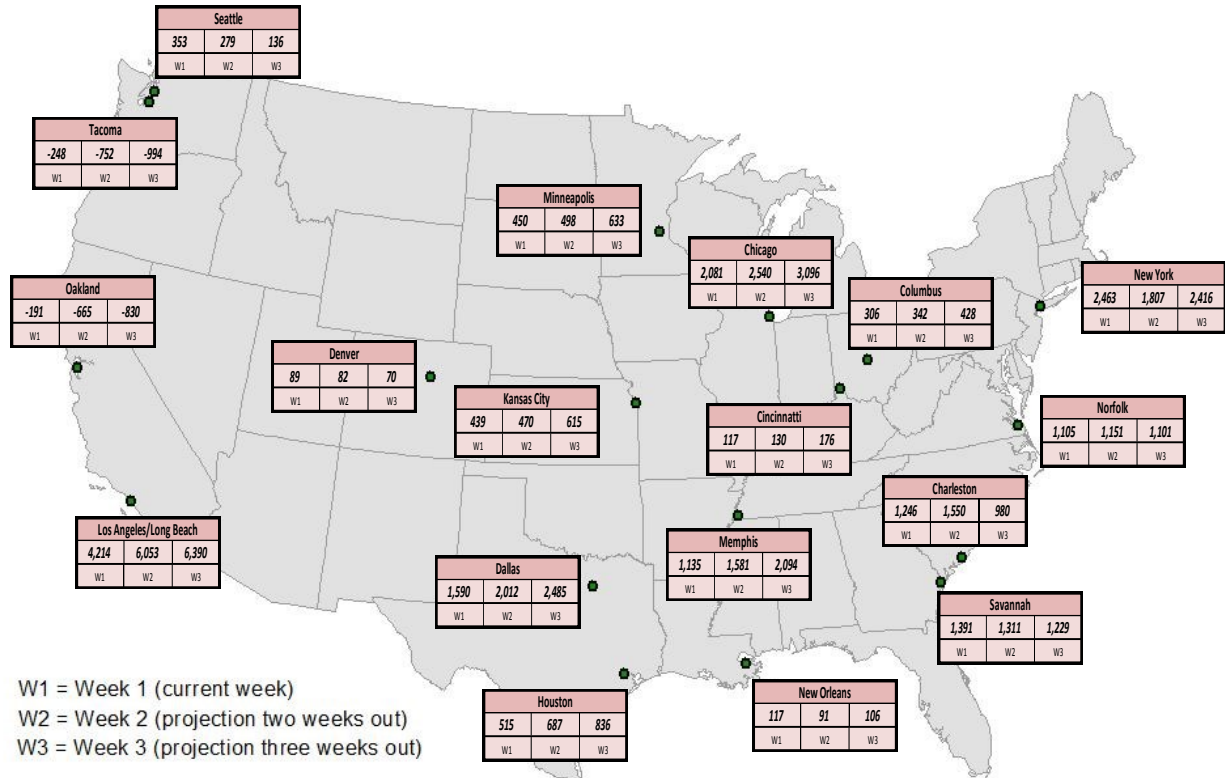


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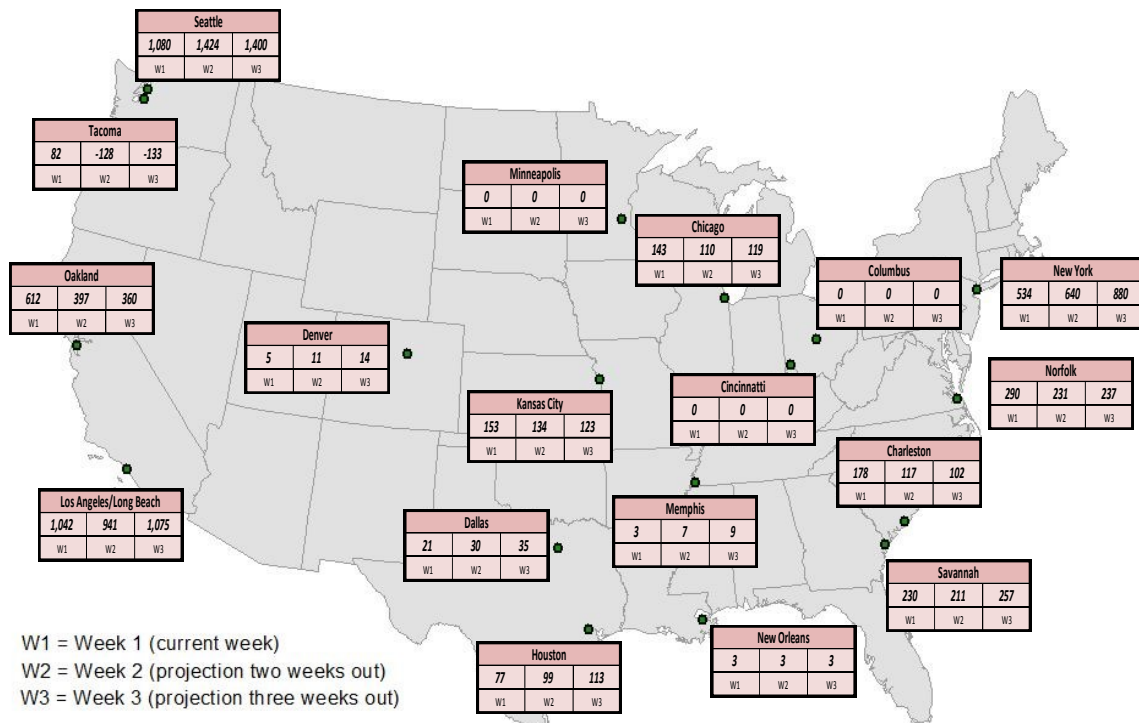
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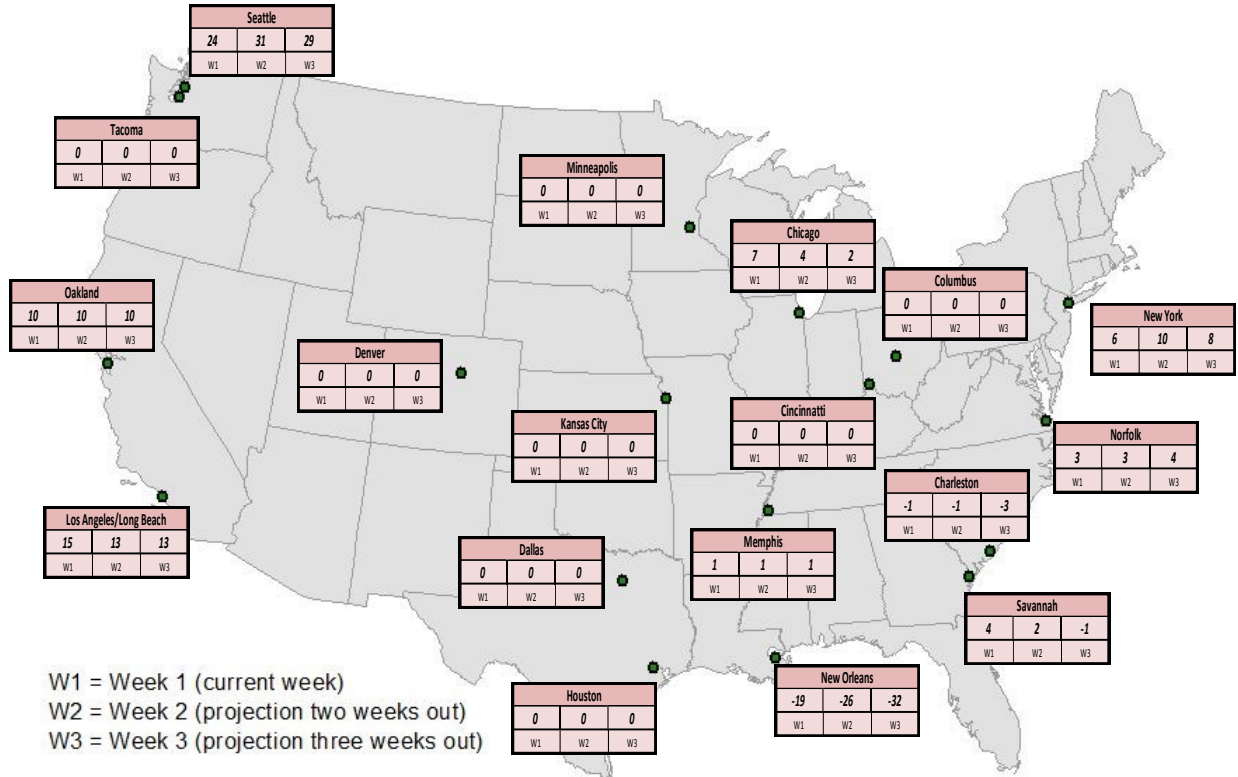


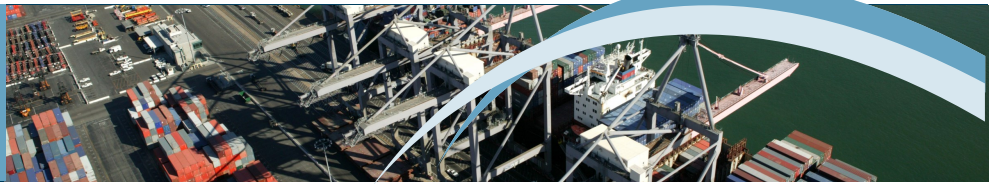
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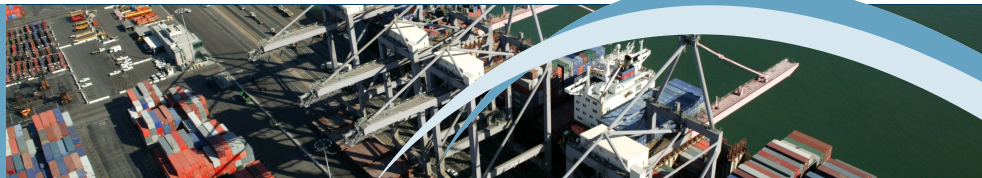
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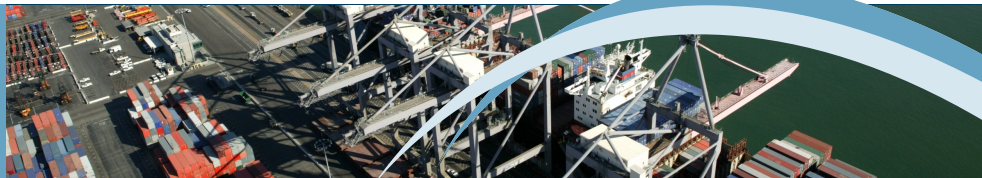
Charleston						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	134	129	10	-25	.	248
Week 2: Jun 7-13	145	139	6	181	.	471
Week 3: Jun 14-20	156	176	6	7	.	345
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	628	390	70	31	.	1,119
Week 2: Jun 7-13	616	336	40	122	.	1,114
Week 3: Jun 14-20	585	366	40	-24	.	967
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	718	474	80	-26	.	1,246
Week 2: Jun 7-13	741	395	50	364	.	1,550
Week 3: Jun 14-20	802	442	50	-314	.	980
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	91	63	40	-16	.	178
Week 2: Jun 7-13	82	40	20	-25	.	117
Week 3: Jun 14-20	73	36	34	-41	.	102
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	-1	-1
Week 2: Jun 7-13	-1	-1
Week 3: Jun 14-20	-3	-3

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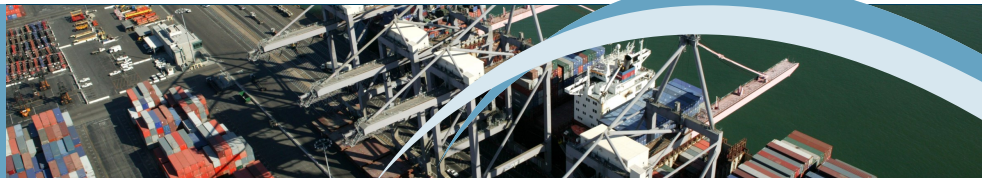
Chicago						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	398	346	50	42	.	836
Week 2: Jun 7-13	581	421	0	-34	.	968
Week 3: Jun 14-20	732	505	20	39	.	1,296
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	1,044	36	20	0	.	1,100
Week 2: Jun 7-13	1,034	1	31	0	.	1,066
Week 3: Jun 14-20	965	0	48	0	.	1,013
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	1,834	158	89	0	.	2,081
Week 2: Jun 7-13	2,529	167	-156	0	.	2,540
Week 3: Jun 14-20	3,228	109	-241	0	.	3,096
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	98	45	0	.	.	143
Week 2: Jun 7-13	95	15	0	.	.	110
Week 3: Jun 14-20	98	21	0	.	.	119
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	7	7
Week 2: Jun 7-13	4	4
Week 3: Jun 14-20	2	2

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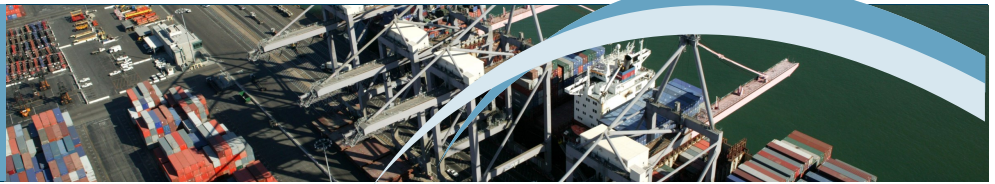
Cincinnati						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	19	18	10	4	.	51
Week 2: Jun 7-13	19	29	4	10	.	62
Week 3: Jun 14-20	17	61	19	10	.	107
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	41	17	0	-2	.	56
Week 2: Jun 7-13	57	16	0	-2	.	71
Week 3: Jun 14-20	82	1	0	-11	.	72
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	114	2	1	0	.	117
Week 2: Jun 7-13	140	-19	9	0	.	130
Week 3: Jun 14-20	191	-23	8	0	.	176
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0	.	.	.	.	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0	.	.	.	.	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0	.	.	.	.	0
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0

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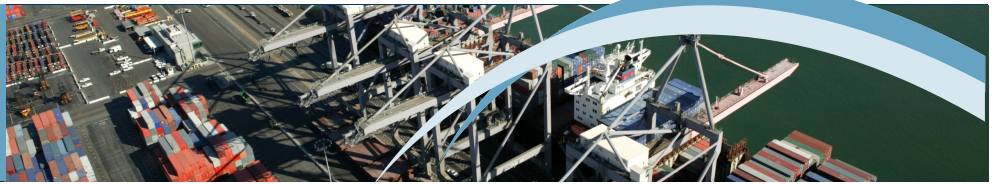
Columbus						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	50	16	15	1	.	82
Week 2: Jun 7-13	55	34	10	2	.	101
Week 3: Jun 14-20	67	36	20	-8	.	115
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	79	39	4	0	.	122
Week 2: Jun 7-13	109	39	5	0	.	153
Week 3: Jun 14-20	132	43	10	0	.	185
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	187	112	7	0	.	306
Week 2: Jun 7-13	263	82	-3	0	.	342
Week 3: Jun 14-20	337	83	8	0	.	428
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0	.	.	.	.	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0	.	.	.	.	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0	.	.	.	.	0
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0

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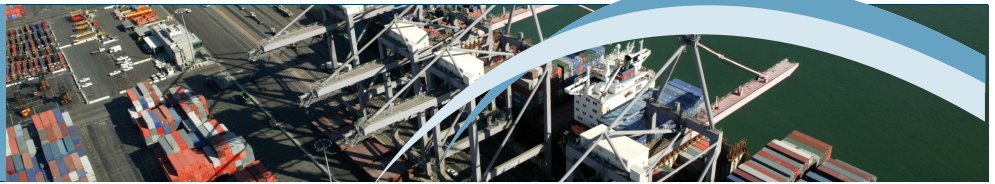
Dallas						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	246	131	85	5	.	467
Week 2: Jun 7-13	326	120	91	5	.	542
Week 3: Jun 14-20	384	129	103	0	.	616
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	145	18	0	-51	.	112
Week 2: Jun 7-13	55	-24	0	-19	.	12
Week 3: Jun 14-20	36	-99	5	-43	.	-101
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	836	384	370	0	.	1,590
Week 2: Jun 7-13	1,089	359	549	15	.	2,012
Week 3: Jun 14-20	1,407	366	697	15	.	2,485
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	21	0	.	.	.	21
Week 2: Jun 7-13	30	0	.	.	.	30
Week 3: Jun 14-20	35	0	.	.	.	35
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0

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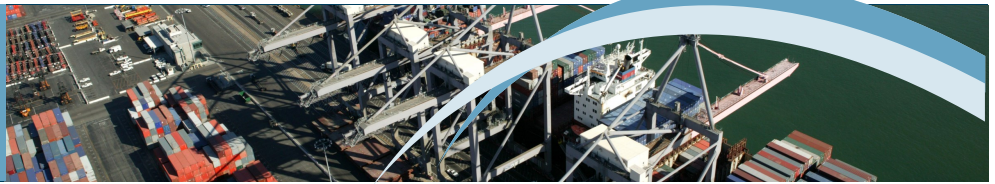
Denver						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	27	13	2	0	.	42
Week 2: Jun 7-13	37	8	40	-4	.	81
Week 3: Jun 14-20	39	15	0	0	.	54
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	8	1	0	0	.	9
Week 2: Jun 7-13	-21	3	0	0	.	-18
Week 3: Jun 14-20	-59	2	1	0	.	-56
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	92	2	0	-5	.	89
Week 2: Jun 7-13	51	-1	0	32	.	82
Week 3: Jun 14-20	59	-10	0	21	.	70
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	5	0	.	.	.	5
Week 2: Jun 7-13	11	0	.	.	.	11
Week 3: Jun 14-20	14	0	.	.	.	14
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0

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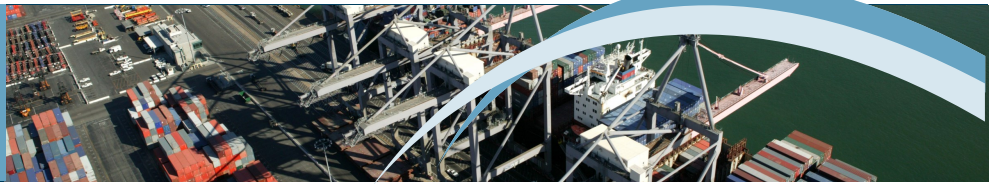
Houston						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	107	9	2	-14	.	104
Week 2: Jun 7-13	112	20	65	-6	.	191
Week 3: Jun 14-20	133	0	113	-53	.	193
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	236	233	5	-92	.	382
Week 2: Jun 7-13	274	231	0	-84	.	421
Week 3: Jun 14-20	207	260	0	10	.	477
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	324	278	10	-97	.	515
Week 2: Jun 7-13	361	278	0	48	.	687
Week 3: Jun 14-20	376	324	0	136	.	836
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	77	0	.	.	.	77
Week 2: Jun 7-13	99	0	.	.	.	99
Week 3: Jun 14-20	113	0	.	.	.	113
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0

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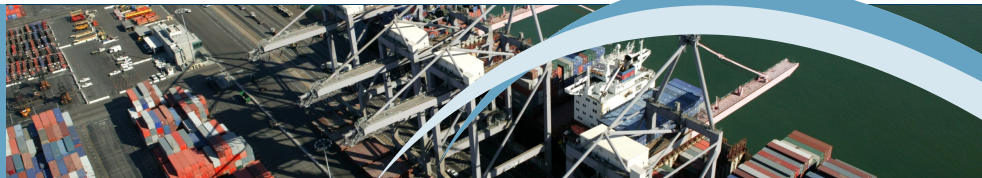
Kansas City						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	80	41	12	0	.	133
Week 2: Jun 7-13	38	50	6	-2	.	92
Week 3: Jun 14-20	92	61	7	-2	.	158
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	95	10	10	-1	.	114
Week 2: Jun 7-13	74	-60	0	0	.	14
Week 3: Jun 14-20	97	-119	0	0	.	-22
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	302	129	10	-2	.	439
Week 2: Jun 7-13	322	151	0	-3	.	470
Week 3: Jun 14-20	436	183	0	-4	.	615
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	104	49	0	.	.	153
Week 2: Jun 7-13	85	49	0	.	.	134
Week 3: Jun 14-20	73	50	0	.	.	123
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0

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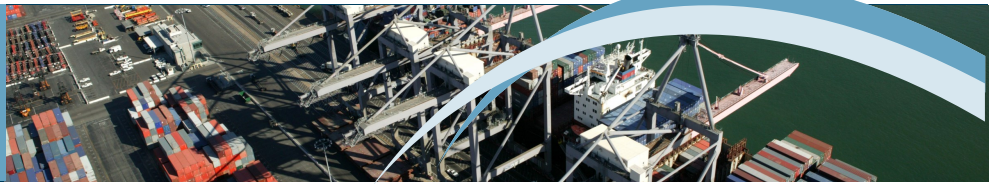
Los Angeles and Long Beach						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	513	357	108	30	.	1,008
Week 2: Jun 7-13	526	674	-225	30	.	1,005
Week 3: Jun 14-20	810	676	-388	30	.	1,128
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	1,024	568	158	70	.	1,820
Week 2: Jun 7-13	1,390	119	455	70	.	2,034
Week 3: Jun 14-20	1,888	-163	416	70	.	2,211
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	3,352	767	230	-135	.	4,214
Week 2: Jun 7-13	4,308	1,915	230	-400	.	6,053
Week 3: Jun 14-20	5,371	1,704	230	-915	.	6,390
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	519	240	177	106	.	1,042
Week 2: Jun 7-13	494	200	124	123	.	941
Week 3: Jun 14-20	579	247	118	131	.	1,075
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	15	15
Week 2: Jun 7-13	13	13
Week 3: Jun 14-20	13	13

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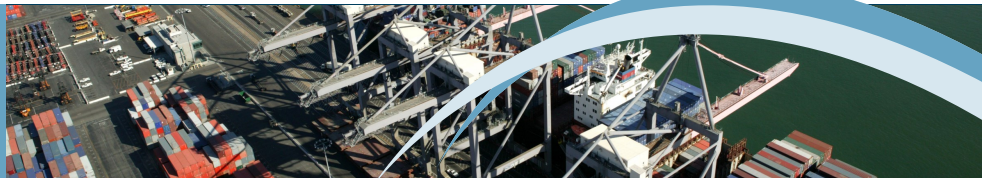
Memphis						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	156	70	30	9	.	265
Week 2: Jun 7-13	237	86	35	-15	.	343
Week 3: Jun 14-20	342	123	10	2	.	477
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	493	85	40	5	.	623
Week 2: Jun 7-13	790	73	0	0	.	863
Week 3: Jun 14-20	998	87	0	7	.	1,092
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	915	157	43	20	.	1,135
Week 2: Jun 7-13	1,406	174	1	0	.	1,581
Week 3: Jun 14-20	1,787	283	24	0	.	2,094
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	3	0	.	.	.	3
Week 2: Jun 7-13	7	0	.	.	.	7
Week 3: Jun 14-20	9	0	.	.	.	9
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	1	1
Week 2: Jun 7-13	1	1
Week 3: Jun 14-20	1	1

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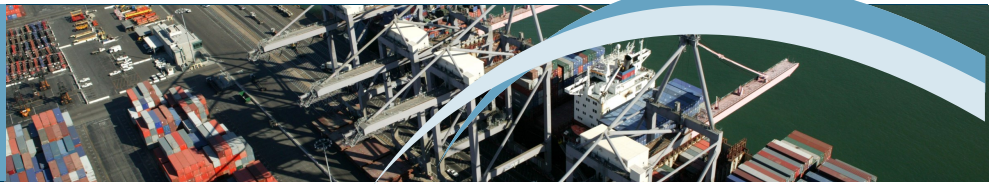
Minneapolis						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	64	23	0	-4	.	83
Week 2: Jun 7-13	72	3	0	-38	.	37
Week 3: Jun 14-20	60	-17	0	-48	.	-5
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	96	28	0	-51	.	73
Week 2: Jun 7-13	114	33	0	-118	.	29
Week 3: Jun 14-20	124	42	10	-76	.	100
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	252	126	67	5	.	450
Week 2: Jun 7-13	288	215	-5	0	.	498
Week 3: Jun 14-20	362	268	-7	10	.	633
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0	.	.	.	.	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0	.	.	.	.	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0	.	.	.	.	0
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0

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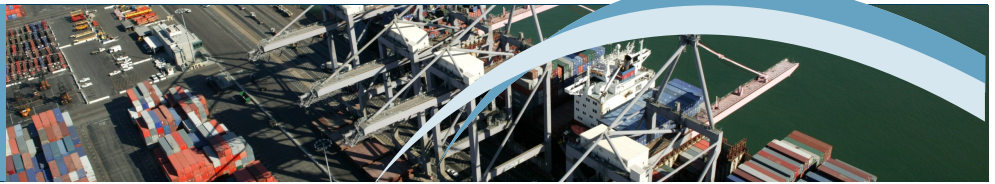
New Orleans						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	66	36	0	-1	.	101
Week 2: Jun 7-13	39	41	0	0	.	80
Week 3: Jun 14-20	14	44	0	3	.	61
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	32	6	-4	-7	.	27
Week 2: Jun 7-13	32	6	0	-21	.	17
Week 3: Jun 14-20	36	6	1	-35	.	8
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	87	28	2	0	.	117
Week 2: Jun 7-13	72	33	4	-18	.	91
Week 3: Jun 14-20	59	42	4	1	.	106
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	3	0	.	.	.	3
Week 2: Jun 7-13	3	0	.	.	.	3
Week 3: Jun 14-20	3	0	.	.	.	3
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	-19	-19
Week 2: Jun 7-13	-26	-26
Week 3: Jun 14-20	-32	-32

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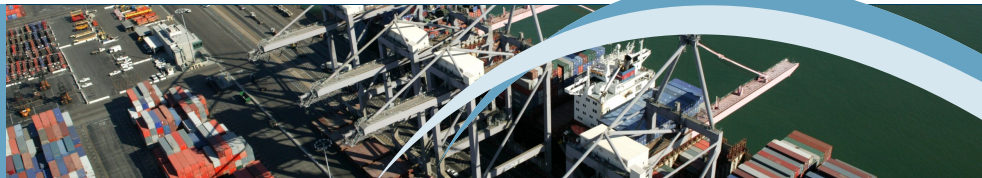
New York						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	734	576	486	6	.	1,802
Week 2: Jun 7-13	374	705	318	4	.	1,401
Week 3: Jun 14-20	306	896	370	4	.	1,576
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	865	556	30	6	.	1,457
Week 2: Jun 7-13	975	498	20	-51	.	1,442
Week 3: Jun 14-20	1,136	561	20	58	.	1,775
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	1,459	958	70	-24	.	2,463
Week 2: Jun 7-13	1,499	640	40	-372	.	1,807
Week 3: Jun 14-20	1,684	663	40	29	.	2,416
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	228	137	85	84	.	534
Week 2: Jun 7-13	342	95	169	34	.	640
Week 3: Jun 14-20	453	115	265	47	.	880
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	6	6
Week 2: Jun 7-13	10	10
Week 3: Jun 14-20	8	8

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Norfolk						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	355	207	117	8	.	687
Week 2: Jun 7-13	321	251	72	2	.	646
Week 3: Jun 14-20	308	306	70	2	.	686
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	591	40	33	27	.	691
Week 2: Jun 7-13	530	20	70	-21	.	599
Week 3: Jun 14-20	462	20	53	-27	.	508
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	763	215	77	50	.	1,105
Week 2: Jun 7-13	797	119	195	40	.	1,151
Week 3: Jun 14-20	897	108	56	40	.	1,101
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	124	95	68	3	.	290
Week 2: Jun 7-13	116	95	40	-20	.	231
Week 3: Jun 14-20	120	106	30	-19	.	237
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	3	3
Week 2: Jun 7-13	3	3
Week 3: Jun 14-20	4	4

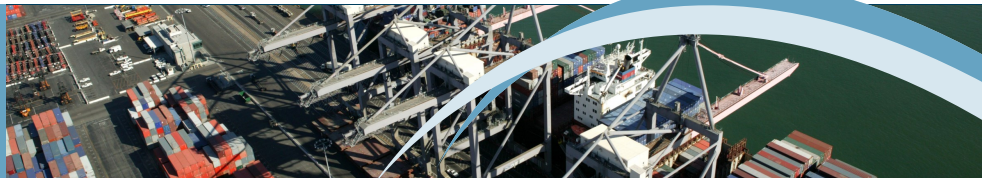
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Oakland						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	50	35	15	-67	.	33
Week 2: Jun 7-13	98	49	54	-92	.	109
Week 3: Jun 14-20	75	92	55	-112	.	110
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	164	79	67	20	.	330
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0	73	103	5	.	181
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0	123	136	57	.	316
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	172	65	-54	-374	.	-191
Week 2: Jun 7-13	163	-76	-154	-598	.	-665
Week 3: Jun 14-20	115	-176	-258	-511	.	-830
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	350	180	76	6	.	612
Week 2: Jun 7-13	260	116	52	-31	.	397
Week 3: Jun 14-20	280	60	53	-33	.	360
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	10	10
Week 2: Jun 7-13	10	10
Week 3: Jun 14-20	10	10

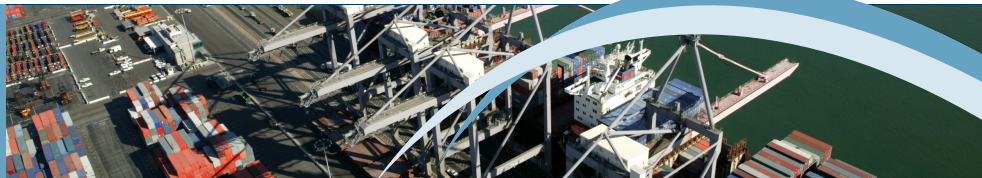
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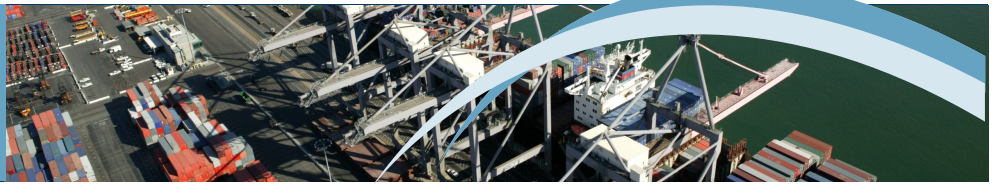
Savannah						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	298	205	124	2	.	629
Week 2: Jun 7-13	321	76	150	4	.	551
Week 3: Jun 14-20	433	43	193	4	.	673
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	250	80	36	-211	.	155
Week 2: Jun 7-13	224	30	-155	33	.	132
Week 3: Jun 14-20	240	30	-250	-112	.	-92
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	691	375	225	100	.	1,391
Week 2: Jun 7-13	768	234	259	50	.	1,311
Week 3: Jun 14-20	752	232	195	50	.	1,229
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	83	77	60	10	.	230
Week 2: Jun 7-13	66	100	55	-10	.	211
Week 3: Jun 14-20	80	125	45	7	.	257
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	4	4
Week 2: Jun 7-13	2	2
Week 3: Jun 14-20	-1	-1

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Seattle						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	285	55	-3	.	.	337
Week 2: Jun 7-13	336	44	-47	.	.	333
Week 3: Jun 14-20	400	75	-60	.	.	415
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	145	101	87	.	.	333
Week 2: Jun 7-13	75	112	85	.	.	272
Week 3: Jun 14-20	75	121	78	.	.	274
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	179	92	82	.	.	353
Week 2: Jun 7-13	4	85	190	.	.	279
Week 3: Jun 14-20	-130	25	241	.	.	136
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	974	61	45	.	.	1,080
Week 2: Jun 7-13	1,239	110	75	.	.	1,424
Week 3: Jun 14-20	1,229	106	65	.	.	1,400
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	24	24
Week 2: Jun 7-13	31	31
Week 3: Jun 14-20	29	29

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Tacoma						
20ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	48	32	-376	.	.	-296
Week 2: Jun 7-13	47	18	-259	.	.	-194
Week 3: Jun 14-20	57	71	-628	.	.	-500
40ft Dry						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	71	39	-308	.	.	-198
Week 2: Jun 7-13	66	62	-443	.	.	-315
Week 3: Jun 14-20	148	32	-198	.	.	-18
40ft High Cube						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	302	81	-631	.	.	-248
Week 2: Jun 7-13	-155	64	-661	.	.	-752
Week 3: Jun 14-20	-300	36	-730	.	.	-994
40ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	50	47	-15	.	.	82
Week 2: Jun 7-13	75	28	-231	.	.	-128
Week 3: Jun 14-20	80	22	-235	.	.	-133
20ft Refrigerated						
	Carrier Availability Category Responses					Total
Current Week: May 31-Jun 6	0
Week 2: Jun 7-13	0
Week 3: Jun 14-20	0

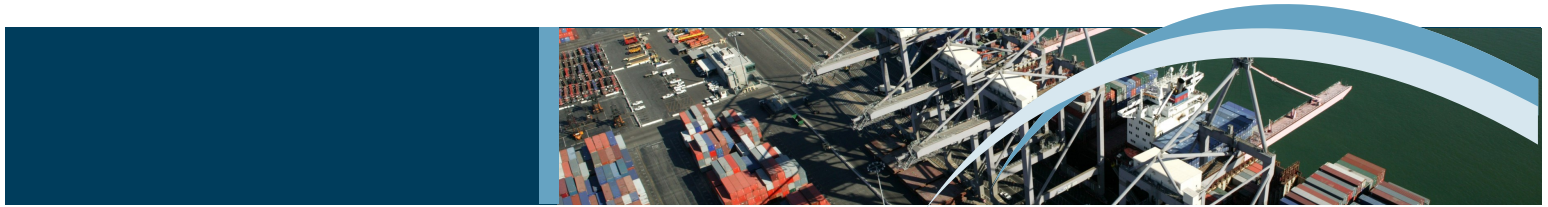
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Understanding this Report

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- The data are estimates of container availability per week by the participating carriers. The carriers determine container availability by comparing current supplies at each of the 18 intermodal locations with the demand for these containers based on up-to-date bookings or reservation information in the westbound transpacific trade lane.
- Each week, participating carriers report the estimated number of containers available for the current week (W1) as well as estimates for the subsequent 2 weeks (W2 and W3).
- Maps on pages 2–4 offer a national overview of weekly container availability. The weekly national data are derived from the sum of the individual carrier responses at each intermodal location.
- Individual carrier responses are presented by location on pages 6–23 and have been sorted from largest to smallest. To maintain carrier confidentiality, specific carrier identification is not provided.
- Carrier responses showing negative numbers, such as -29, should be interpreted as meaning that 29 containers are needed by shippers but the carrier is not able to supply them. A positive number, such as 64, would mean 64 containers are available that are not demanded. An indication of 0 means the carriers have the exact amount of containers needed based on current supply and demand estimates.
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 - 40ft High-Cube (HC): A shipping container which is 40 feet long and 9 feet, 6 inches tall (1 foot taller than a standard 40ft dry container).
 - 40ft reefer: A refrigerated shipping container which is 40 feet long.
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